

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

IN THE MATTER OF PENALTY
ASSESSMENT AGAINST
Rayonier, Inc.

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NOTICE OF PENALTY
INCURRED AND DUE
No. DE 94AQ-I040

To: Jack Tatom
Mill Manager
Rayonier, Inc.
P. O. Box 191
Port Angeles, Washington 98362

Notice is given that the Department has assessed a penalty against you in the amount of \$2,700.00 under the provisions of Ch. 70.94 RCW.

The penalty is based on the following Department findings:

On March 10, 1994 Jim Werner from the Olympic Air Pollution Control Authority took two visual emission observations (opacity readings) of Rayonier hogged fuel boiler stacks at 1447 and at 1513 in Port Angeles as reported in the enclosed letter dated March 14, 1994. The average opacity was 92 percent for seven minutes for the first set of readings, and the average for the second set of readings was 48 percent. A violation of the three minutes visible emission standard of WAC 173-400-040(1) for hogged fuel boiler stacks.

The penalty is due and payable by you within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this Notice. Please send your penalty payment to: Department of Ecology c/o Fiscal Cashier, P.O. Box 5128, Lacey Washington 98503-0210.

If you wish to contest this penalty, you have two options. You may file an Application for Relief from Penalty with the Department explaining why the Department should reduce or cancel the penalty. A form is enclosed for your convenience. It must be signed under oath before a notary public or other person authorized to take oaths.

If you choose to submit an Application for Relief from Penalty, you must do so within fifteen (15) days of your receipt of the Notice. Send your Application for Relief to: Mr. Don Nelson Department of Ecology P.O. Box 46700, Olympia Washington 98504-7600. At the same time send a copy to: Department of Ecology c/o Enforcement Officer, P.O. Box 47600, Olympia Washington 98504-7600. After reviewing your Application for Relief, the Department will notify you of its decision.

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